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## Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10 / 184,427 First Named Applicant: Naoaki Nii  
 Examiner: Garg Art Unit: 3625 Status of Application: Pending 1st OA

## Tentative Participants:

(1) Shawn Gorman (Reg. No. 26,197) (2) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (3) \_\_\_\_\_ (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Date of Interview: July 17, 2006 Proposed Time: 2 (AM/PM) (PM)

## Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

## Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
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## Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Discuss possible language to utilize in lieu of the negative limitation: further discussion relating to the obviousness  
 rejection for claims 1-23

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on 7/17/06

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 (Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature)

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Interview Agenda

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Examiner Garg,

Please find the enclosed Interview Form for our interview this afternoon. I sincerely apologize for not getting this to you last Friday. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or require additional information. I look forward to speaking with you this afternoon.

Sincerely,

Shawn Gorman

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